IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

YASUHIRO HINO

Application No. 09/950,020

Filed: September 12, 2001

For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS, SERVER APPARATUS, IMAGE
PROCESSING METHOD AND

Mail Stop: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

MEMORY MEDIUM

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

January 7, 2008

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action of September 6, 2007, to January 7, 2008 (January 6, 2008 being a Sunday). A Deposit Account payment in the amount of \$120.00 in payment of the extension fee is submitted herewith. Please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 503939.

In response to the Office Action dated September 6, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 2, and the Remarks begin on page 15.